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18 September 1950

Honorable Harold Knight
Court Room "A"
Montgomery County Court House
Norristown, Pennsylvania

Dear Sir:

The writer has received the enclosed notice to appear in court on the 25th day of September 1950 for service on a Traverse Jury.

I would like to be excused from jury duty at this time because of my present Federal duties. The work I am now doing for the U.S. Government is of particular importance to the security of our country and could not conveniently be handled by anyone else.

I trust this letter will be sufficient to obtain my excuse from Jury duty — but if further representation is considered necessary we can arrange for petition to be made to the court.

At some future date I hope to be able to serve on jury duty.

Yours truly,



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